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VOMAN SHOT SATURDAY AFTERNOON NEAR MENDON

Mrs. John Ray Shot By Her Husband In Quarrel. Had Not Been Living Together

Saturday afternoon near Mendon Springs, six miles north of Monett, occurred a shooting scrape which may result fatally to Mrs. Ray, at whose home the shooting occurred. Mrs. Ray was shot by her husband, John Ray, with a 38 calibre revolver, the ball entering in the rear of the body and coming out in the groin.

The facts as near as can be learned are as follows:

Mrs. Ida Ray, formerly Mrs. Frank Hunzel, who resided near Mendon Springs, was married a few years ago to John Ray and went to reside with her husband in Kansas. They later separated and Mrs. Ray returned to her farm, where she now resides, in company with her mother, Mrs. Peter Zinn. The farm is worked by William Arnold.

Early Saturday morning Mr. Ray arrived in Monett and securing a team and driver went to the home of John Grissom, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Ray, occupying an adjoining farm. He arrived there at 2 o'clock a. m. and informed Mr. Grissom that he had called to deliver to Mrs. Dave Shaw, Grissom's daughter, a Shepherd dog which she had left with him in Kansas. Mrs. Shaw arose and conversed with Ray for a short time, then he departed and went to the home of Mrs. Ray and asked permission to talk with her. She refused to come to the door and he departed and returned to the home of Mr. Grissom, where he dismissed his driver.

At 4 o'clock he decided to go to Tulsa, Ok., and asked Mr. Grissom to take him to Monett in time to catch the early train. They missed the train but Ray decided to wait and take the next train to Oklahoma.

Why he changed his mind is not known but at 11 o'clock he secured a rig and again drove out to Mendon Springs. He took dinner with Wm. Fritz and afterward drove to the home of Mrs. Ray and there entered into conversation with her.

While talking near the house, he saw Wm. Arnhart at the barn and immediately opened fire on him. Arnhart promptly absented himself, it is said.

Mrs. Ray rushed for the house to secure her revolver. As to which of the two shot first, reports differ, but Mrs. Ray was shot just as she was entering the room or immediately afterward when she opened fire on Ray. Ray fired several shots into the building and then started for the barn in search of Arnhart.

Mrs. Ray slipped from the house and started through the orchard and corn field toward the home of Mr. Grissom. Ray discovered her and jumping into the buggy started in pursuit. Mrs. Ray, who had reached the public highway, saw him coming and hid herself in the hedge brush and vines at the roadside, and but a few rods from the Grissom home.

She called to her mother, Mrs. Zinn, who was at the Grissom home, and Mrs. Frances Burns, telling them to call a doctor, that she was shot and admonished them not to come near her for fear that Ray would do them injury or would discover her hiding place. Ray searched for her for some time, we are told, and passed close to her place of concealment several times, then drove off toward Monett.

Mrs. Ray was then assisted to the house, and on the arrival of Dr. Copeland, who was summoned, was given medical attendance. Dr. Loveland, of Verona, was also called in. Ben Yoekel, constable, who had come with Dr. Copeland, phoned to Monett, and Ray was placed under arrest by Chief of Police Jackson. Mr. Yoekel, on his arrival in Monett took Ray into custody and took him to Mt. Vernon

MANY FROM BARRY GET NORMAL WORK

Sixty-Two Students From That County Are Enrolled Here To Become School Teachers

Springfield, July 10.—Barry is one of the largely represented counties in this year's enrollment at the Springfield State Normal, sixty-two students from that county taking work in the various departments. Barry county's future school teachers who are enrolled in the school follow:

Mrs. R. M. Allen, Edith Antle, Lora Bason, Julia Campbell, Benjamin A. Cartwright, Clara Cartwright, Riley M. Cochran, Lena Combs, Dora Cowan, Mary J. Cowan, Chad. Cowherd, Lola Curry, Willie Daniels, Leta Davidson, Grace R. DeBrosse, Ansel Dodson, Furon Dodson, Kate Dodson, V. A. Doty, Larkin Duncan, Elbert Epperly, J. H. Evans, J. W. Evans, Bertha Flanson, Demmah Hamilton, Eldred Harrington, Edwin Harrington, Mrs. Iris L. Harrington, Lucile Haynes, Willie Henbest, Grace Journeyn, L. B. Keith, W. A. Keith, Lucy Landis, Ida Lautaret, Talmage Lee, Iris Lincoln, L. A. Lincoln, Grover Loftin, Neva Julian Long, Edna McClure, Fred McGlothlin, J. E. McNally, W. C. Mattox, Lucie D. Matrix, May Mutrix, Ouida Northcutt, Floyd O'Banion, Oliver Planchon, Lora Reese, Ethel Reid, Chas. Riddle, Alvin Rudilk, Hazel St. Louis, Wilma Saxe, Emma B. Stebler, Meda Tarvin, Lewis Thomas, Raymond Thomas, Ada Wade, Beulah Watson, U. R. Williams.

BONES ARE FOUND IN THE OLD ASH CAVE

Dr. Peabody and E. H. Jacobs and party who have been camped at the Ash Cave, 3 1/2 miles out on the Springfield road for ten days, where they have been engaged in making prehistoric research, and have been working very hard in order to finish up their work by the 28th.

They have sectionized the large ash bank in the front of the cave, where they take up a section at a time and work it out and take out and keep everything of interest to be found in the distinct class.

They have found bones of animals and human beings in those ashes, which they are caring for and will take away.

They have also found pieces of stone that is believed to have been used by the Indians when they were the only settlers of this country in dressing skins and furs.

From these finds that place was evidently the camping place of the Indians or rather headquarters, because it was centrally located in and to the good hunting grounds and a splendid supply of water near at hand.

No doubt but that the Delaware Indians have chased the buffaloes, antelopes, bears, wolves and every other kind of wild animal that was in this section. There was plenty of deer and turkey and wild honey and they had only to furnish the bread, as everything else was free.—Cassville Democrat.

H. C. Cox's little grandchild, who is visiting here, fell from a window seven feet to the ground, Friday morning and cut a large gash in the head. The grandmother, who is ill, was so alarmed by the occurrence that she had a bad attack of heart trouble and required the attention of a physician.

for safe keeping.

The physicians who gave Mrs. Ray medical attendance are of the opinion that if no unfavorable symptoms develop she will make a rapid recovery.

The opinion seems to be that Mr. Ray had been drinking, which in a measure would account for his actions.

Mrs. Dave Shaw, who lived for some months with the Rays in Kansas, said that Mr. Ray had a good reputation in the community in which he lived.

LABORER DIED ON TRAIN NEAR PEIRCE CITY

Fred Bemmer Died Enroute From Belfast to Hospital At Springfield

Passenger train No. 404, from Sappulpa, arrived here Saturday with a dead passenger on board.

At Belfast a laborer was put on the train with a pass to the Frisco hospital at Springfield. He also carried a physician's certificate.

His name as given on the pass was Fred Bemmer and he seemed to be about 60 years old. He was able to walk to his seat in the car but it was seen that he was growing worse and he was given attention by the conductor, George Rice, and members of his crew. After leaving Peirce City he collapsed and died in a short time.

Dr. Dusenbury was called on the arrival of the train here but could do nothing further than recommend as to the disposition of the body, which was taken in charge of by Agent W. J. Mills.

Death occurred in Lawrence county and the officers of that county will probably be notified.

GROWTH OF AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE

Merchant vessels built in the United States and officially numbered by the Bureau of Navigation, Department of Commerce, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1915, were 1226 of 215,711 gross tons compared with 1291 of 311,578 gross tons for the fiscal year 1914.

During the past ten months, however, under the Ship Registry Act of August 18, 1914, to the American merchant fleet, 147 foreign-built vessels of 528,907 gross tons have been added, making the total for the year from both sources 1,373 vessels of 744,618 gross tons.

This tonnage is the largest annual addition to the American merchant fleet in the history of the United States. In 1908 the total increase was 718,683 gross tons, in 1907, it was 596,708 gross tons, and in 1895 it was 586,102 gross tons.

The losses to the merchant fleet for the past year have not all been reported, but for the first nine months they number 1062 vessels of 195,052 gross tons.

FOUND DEAD NEAR FRISCO DEPOT

On Monday morning of this week the body of a man was found lying near the Frisco depot. On investigation it developed that he belonged to the gang that have been laying new steel on the railroad and that death had been caused by heart failure. As the man was a complete stranger, having only been with the gang a short time, there was no one who knew much about him but by letters, it was found that his name was Edw. Hays and that he had a sister living in St. Louis. As the relatives did not want the body shipped, interment was made in the new cemetery without any services.—Granby Missourian.

VEITH-ACKERSON

Miss Nellie Elizabeth Ackerson and August Veith, of the Globe neighborhood, were married Wednesday, July 7 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ackerson. They are prominent young people of the community in which they live.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. E. Malmquist, pastor of the Globe Swedish church, in the presence of a number of friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Veith will reside on the old Fyr place east of Monett.

Diarrhoea Quickly Cured

"About two years ago I had a severe attack of diarrhoea which lasted for over a week," writes W. C. Jones, Buford, N. D. "I became so weak that I could not stand upright. A druggist recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The first dose relieved me and within two days I was as well as ever." Obtainable everywhere. Ady.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Spain are moving to Mrs. Ned Breese's cottage on Bond street.

LOSE ON DINING CARS

Only One Railroad Shows Profit On Service

Chicago, July 9.—Losses by railroads on dining car service was touched on today at the hearing before the interstate commerce commission in connection with the petition of the railroads for an increase in passenger rates. So far as shown by a report of railroads to the interstate commerce commission, the only road to show a profit on dining car service is the Illinois Central, which last year reported earnings of \$48 from dining cars.

While H. H. Butler, general passenger agent of the Missouri Pacific railroad was on the stand today, William V. King, one of the examiners for the commission, asked on cross-examination whether it was Mr. Butler's opinion that the commission should allow an increase in passenger fares to make up for deficits in dining car service.

Mr. Butler said he was of the opinion that railroad companies, in transporting passengers, had the duty of seeing they were well cared for. An important part of this duty, he thought, was seeing that passengers were well fed.

HOBERG ITEMS

The Fourth went off very quiet here most of our Hobergites attending the celebration at Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. Will Krehmeier's sisters who visited her and other relatives in Freistatt, returned to their homes. One lives in Minnesota and the other in Iowa.

Our banker, W. M. Pate, left Friday morning for Kentucky to join his wife and family who have been there the past four weeks visiting relatives. He will be absent about ten days.

One of our popular merchants, Fred Schlomann, has charge of the bank in his absence.

The Mt. Vernon band came to Hoberg Friday evening and played several fine selections. A number of autos full of Mt. Vernon people followed. They were advertising the Fourth of July celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Howard visited Tuesday with their son, W. L. Howard and wife.

Messrs. Phillips and Krehmeier commenced threshing Wednesday. They have a good rig and Mr. August Doss will also start his threshing machine, Wednesday.

Miss Tillie Whitthaus gave a party to her young friends Tuesday night. Each one declared they had a most delightful time.

Clint Lebow of Kansas City was here one day recently and bought some fine cattle from Clint Adams, 35 in all. They averaged Mr. Adams \$105.00 a head.

Mrs. G. A. Melfon and Miss Bina McDonald of Mt. Vernon called on Mrs. W. L. Howard, Monday evening.

Miss Lydia Hoberg gave her recital Friday evening at Mt. Vernon Baptist church. All of her pupils from here attended. The house was full and a good program was carried out.

48-INCH MAN, 47-INCH BRIDE

Hannibal, Mo., July 9.—Miss Mary Porter was married to James E. Burton at Holiday, west of Hannibal, recently. Their combined height will not equal eight feet and their total weight is but 147 pounds.

The bride weighs 70 pounds and is 47 inches in height. The bridegroom is one inch taller and weighs seven pounds more.

Burton is forty years old and the bride is twenty-six. Each has had offers to travel with shows.

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7500 MEMBERS FOR MISSOURI STATE POULTRY ASSOCIATION

The poultry industry in Missouri is growing faster than any other branch of the farm work at present, for people are beginning to realize that the revenue from poultry and eggs during the two years of dry weather has been a great help in paying the grocery and clothing bills, and in a majority of cases has also helped to increase the bank deposit.

The Missouri State Poultry Association has been able during its twenty-three years of active life to encourage the raising of better poultry and more of it by its annual State Poultry Show and by its influence in getting State appropriations for the experimental and educational work which is being done by the Missouri State Poultry Experiment Station.

The membership has increased during the past few years from hundreds to thousands and now hovers around the five thousand mark. By a little solicitation on the part of its members the membership can easily be doubled before our next Show, which will be held at Joplin, December 7th to 11th.

The annual membership dues are only fifty cents and the year continues from time of payment, in place of having a financial year terminating on any certain date. The life membership fee is \$5.

The members receive all of the bulletins issued by the Missouri State Poultry Experiment Station during the life of their membership, without having to write to Mountain Grove for each bulletin when it is ready for distribution. Non-members often miss receiving bulletins of great value, through not knowing that such are available, and the information contained in any one of them is worth the price of a year's membership.

The Association also issues a year book, containing the name, address, and variety of poultry raised by every member, which has an advertising medium is worth several dollars.

By joining the Missouri State Poultry Association, each member helps to boost Missouri poultry interests, and in that way is helping to make conditions better. The increased profits resulting from a better understanding of feeding and housing conditions as explained by the experts at Mountain Grove has been the means of securing more conveniences in the home.

Missouri pure bred poultry is being shipped to all parts of this country and to numerous foreign countries, in competition with the best that is bred anywhere.

Missouri market poultry and eggs have been improved in quality and price by co-operation of members of this Association and the influence they have exerted in their communities.

If every poultry raiser could be listed among the Association members, its influence would be far greater than at present and more good could be accomplished in getting better prices for both pure bred and market poultry, without increasing the cost of production.

The harvest season is a good time to renew membership or to join the Association, so that everyone will be enrolled before the opening of the fall show season.

Mr. Fred Crosby, Mountain Grove, Missouri, is Secretary-Treasurer and will give prompt attention to memberships sent to him and to correspondence about any matter of personal interest regarding poultry problems.

Get a friend to join with you and send your application with money to Mr. Crosby today.

Do it now!
Fraternally yours,
(Signed) A. A. COULT,

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. McCracken and son Paul of Sarcocixie, have gone to San Francisco to attend the fair and to visit relatives.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Headquarters Eagle Post No. 492, Dept. of Mo. G. A. R.

Resolutions of respect in memory of John Hess, who died June 20, 1915: Whereas, the Great Ruler of the Universe has seen fit in His infinite wisdom to call from our ranks Comrade John Hess. Be it

Resolved, that in the death of Comrade Hess our Post has lost a loyal member, our city a good and quiet citizen and his family a kind and loving husband and father.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the records of this Post and a copy be given to the city papers for publication, and the Post charter be draped for thirty days and a copy be sent to the family of the deceased comrade.

ORION BARKER,
W. P. WATKINS,
Committee.

ILLEGAL VOTING CASE CONTINUED

The case of the State of Missouri against Israel Groves, charged with illegal voting at the local option election, came up before Justice O'Dwyer Friday afternoon.

The State asked for a continuance on the ground that additional evidence had been discovered and time would be required to secure the witnesses.

The case was therefore continued to July 30.

CASSVILLE NEWS

Arthur Erwin and wife went to Monett this week. Arthur went from there to Joplin.

Robert Black of Monett, spent Wednesday in this city visiting relatives and friends for the day.

The stone for the Exeter public school building has been all cut at the Cassville quarry and is ready for shipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson returned from Kansas City Wednesday morning. While there Ben purchased three car loads of goats and they came in Thursday morning. He will take two-thirds of the shipment to his Lohmarsburg ranch.—Democrat.

Mrs. Chas. Beery, of Port Mann, B. C., formerly of Monett, writes that she is just home from a hospital where she had to undergo an operation for gall stones. She had a hard fight but won out. Her mother, Mrs. Mary Snoddy, is in splendid health and they enjoy the lovely summer months in British Columbia.

"Genevieve," remarked Champ Clark as he whistled to the houn dawg and started for a tramp across the fields, "that man Bryan has not moved to Missouri, has he?" "No, Dad," was the reply of the soon-to-be-bride. "Then send a note to the papers and invite everybody in Missouri to your wedding!"—Lawrence Journal.

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